Pupil premium strategy statement

This statement details our school's use of pupil premium (and recovery premium) funding to help improve the attainment of our disadvantaged pupils.

It outlines our pupil premium strategy, how we intend to spend the funding in this academic year and the outcomes for disadvantaged pupils last academic year.

School overview

Detail	Data
Number of pupils in school	90
Proportion (%) of pupil premium eligible pupils	20%
Academic year/years that our current pupil premium strategy plan covers (3 year plans are recommended – you must still publish an updated statement each academic year)	2023 - 2026
Date this statement was published	31.10.23
Date on which it will be reviewed	31.10.26
Statement authorised by	Alice Eeles
Pupil premium lead	Rebecca Humphreys
Governor / Trustee lead	Nicola Dunford

Funding overview

Detail	Amount
Pupil premium funding allocation this academic year	£24,930
Recovery premium funding allocation this academic year Recovery premium received in academic year 2023/24 cannot be carried forward beyond August 31, 2024.	£653
Pupil premium funding carried forward from previous years (enter £0 if not applicable)	£0
Total budget for this academic year	£25,583
If your school is an academy in a trust that pools this funding, state the amount available to your school this academic year	

Part A: Pupil premium strategy plan

Statement of intent

At Stoke Gabriel Primary School, our decision-making is driven by our school values:

Community

Character

Creativity

Courage

Our intention is that all pupils, irrespective of their background or the challenges they face, make good progress and achieve high attainment across all subject areas. The focus of our pupil premium strategy is to support disadvantaged pupils to achieve that goal, including progress for those who are already high attainers.

We will consider the challenges faced by vulnerable pupils, such as those who have a social worker and young carers. The activity we have outlined in this statement is also intended to support their needs, regardless of whether they are disadvantaged or not.

High-quality teaching is at the heart of our approach, with a focus on areas in which disadvantaged pupils require the most support. This is proven to have the greatest impact on closing the disadvantage attainment gap and at the same time will benefit the non-disadvantaged pupils in our school. Implicit in the intended outcomes detailed below, is the intention that non-disadvantaged pupils' attainment will be sustained and improved alongside progress for their disadvantaged peers.

Our approach will be responsive to common challenges and individual needs, rooted in robust diagnostic assessment, not assumptions about the impact of disadvantage. The approaches we have adopted complement each other to help pupils excel. To ensure they are effective we will:

- ensure disadvantaged pupils are challenged in the work that they're set
- act early to intervene at the point need is identified
- adopt a whole school approach in which all staff take responsibility for disadvantaged pupils' outcomes and raise expectations of what they can achieve

Key Principles:

By following the key principles below, we believe we can maximise the impact of our pupil premium spending.

Building Belief

We will provide a culture where:

- · staff believe that there are "no limits" to what our children can achieve
- \cdot there are "no excuses" made for underperformance \cdot staff adopt a "solution-focused" approach to overcoming barriers
- · staff support children to develop "growth" mindsets towards learning

Analysing Data

We will ensure that:
· All staff are involved in the analysis of data so that they are fully aware of strengths and weaknesses across the academy
· We use research (e.g. Education Endowment Foundation Toolkit) to support us in determining the strategies that will be most effective .

Challenges

This details the key challenges to achievement that we have identified among our disadvantaged pupils.

Challenge number	Detail of challenge
1	Some PP children are achieving lower than the national average in maths, writing and maths at the end of KS2
	Internal and external (where available) assessments indicate that
	reading, writing and maths attainment among disadvantaged pupils is
	below that of non-disadvantaged pupils.
2	PP pupils achieving below the national average in maths, reading and writing at the end of KS1
	Internal and external (where available) assessments indicate that writing and reading attainment among disadvantaged pupils is below that of non-disadvantaged pupils.
3	Complex challenges faced by some pupil premium children which may include, but are not limited to, SEND, ill health of parent, difficulties in securing adequate housing, vulnerable to witnessing and suffering from anti-social behaviour or domestic violence.
	Our assessments, observations and discussions with pupils and families have identified social and emotional issues for many pupils, due to challenges that particularly affect disadvantaged pupils, including their attainment.

Intended outcomes

This explains the outcomes we are aiming for **by the end of our current strategy plan**, and how we will measure whether they have been achieved.

Intended outcome	Success criteria
Pupils eligible for PP to be achieving in line with national average in maths, reading and writing. KS1 and KS2	 Pupils eligible for PP to attain at least EXS in line with noneligible peers in maths across the school
	 The progress of eligible pupils in maths, reading and writing is at least in line with National at the end of KS2 and KS1
	 Pupils previously identified as higher attaining are identified and targeted for GD.

	 Provision will have been tailored, reviewed and altered at PPM in response to individual needs of the pupils.
	 Subject leaders will lead staff CPD to provide staff with a clear understanding of how to provide challenge and develop maths and english teaching to improve pupil outcomes.
	 Subject leaders will work with the AH and MAT Maths and English Hub to gain a clear vision of the position of maths and the outcomes of those eligible for PP
Pupils eligible for PP have access to tailored SEMH support through the Inclusion Hub and Attachment Based mentoring support where appropriate.	 Pupils will access the Link Academy Inclusion Hub, Early Help, Play Therapy, SEMH interventions e.g. Lego therapy, Therapeutic Play etc and tailor provision as needed.

Activity in this academic year

This details how we intend to spend our pupil premium (and recovery premium funding) this academic year to address the challenges listed above.

Teaching (for example, CPD, recruitment and retention)

Budgeted cost: £ 12,791.50

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addresse d
Enhancemen t of our maths teaching and curriculum planning in line with DfE and EEF guidance. We will fund teacher release time to embed key elements of guidance in school and to access Maths Hub resources and CPD (including Teaching for Mastery training).	The DfE non-statutory guidance has been produced in conjunction with the National Centre for Excellence in the Teaching of Mathematics, drawing on evidence-based approaches: Maths quidance KS 1 and 2.pdf (publishing.service.qov.uk) The EEF guidance is based on a range of the best available evidence: Improving Mathematics in Key Stages 2 and 3	1, 2
Improve the quality of social and emotional (SEL) learning.	There is extensive evidence associating childhood social and emotional skills with improved outcomes at school and in later life (e.g., improved academic performance, attitudes, behaviour and relationships with peers): EEF Social and Emotional Learning.pdf(educationendowmentfoundation.org .uk) Embed the use of JIGSAW for PSHE/RSHE across the academy	3
SEL approaches will be embedded into routine educational practices and supported by professional development and training for staff.		

Targeted academic support (for example, tutoring, one-to-one support

Budgeted cost: £ 6,395.75

structured interventions)

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Small group and individuals targeted with additional interventions delivered through continuous provision	Children needing targeted support to catch up 1:1 with highly qualified staff have shown to be effective, as shown from the research from John Hattie.	1,2,3,
Including: Precision Teaching TRUGs Pre-teaching and same day conferencing Targeted use of Accelerated Reader	EYFS children learn best through an enriched continuous provision. Ongoing research group activities within LINK schools supported by SLE to enrich continuous provision activities for Reading, Writing and PSED	
Bug Club etc	Precision Teaching: "Literally hundreds of thousands of charted instructional projects have demonstrated the effectiveness of this approach" Carl Binder, Cathy Watkins (1990)	
	EEF research into the teaching of English at KS1 and KS2 shows that extensive progress in writing follows from high quality reading provision. Good readers will develop an authorial voice	

Wider strategies (for example, related to attendance, behaviour, wellbeing)

Budgeted cost: £6,395.75

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Inclusion and Improvement Hub – access SEMH support (SEMH courses for children & outdoor forest school sessions)	Feedback from previously participating schools report a positive change in a child's ability to self-regulate, which has enabled them to access curricular learning more effectively.	3
	Our Inclusion Hub offers weekly courses for children, designed to address an element of SEMH (such as anxiety, anger management). For children with high levels of emotional need (particularly those at risk of exclusion) a longer,	

	outdoor session is offered where children have the opportunity to engage in forest school activities, whilst exploring ways of managing their emotions	
Embedding principles of good practice set out in the DfE's Improving School Attendance advice.	The DfE guidance has been informed by engagement with schools that have significantly reduced levels of absence and persistent absence.	3
This will involve training and release time for staff to develop and implement new procedures and appointing attendance/support officers to improve attendance.		
Parents will feel involved in their child's learning in school and in turn implement more support at home. Termly overviews to go home to parents	EEF Winter 18 Research suggests that parental involvement is key to improving progress in the early years. By involving parents in their children's learning from an early age and developing their understanding of ways in which to support their children, progress and attainment will be accelerated	1,2,3
Parents invited to attend in school workshops etc to become more involved		
School fayres and fetes held inviting parents to help		
PTA to be developed		

Total budgeted cost: £ 25,583

Part B: Review of outcomes in the previous academic year

Pupil premium strategy outcomes

This details the impact that our pupil premium activity had on pupils in the 2020 to 2021 academic year.

Externally provided programmes

Please include the names of any non-DfE programmes that you purchased in the previous academic year. This will help the Department for Education identify which ones are popular in England

Programme	Provider

Service pupil premium funding (optional)

For schools that receive this funding, you may wish to provide the following information:

Measure	Details
How did you spend your service pupil premium allocation last academic year?	
What was the impact of that spending on service pupil premium eligible pupils?	